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WEATHER

Fair tonight and Wednesday becoming cloudy north; cooler Wednesday; high 83, low 40.

STATE GRANGE CONCLUDES

MacLaughlin Re-Elected As State Officer; Gasoline Tax Change Is Endorsed

The California State Grange concluded its annual meeting at Modesto early last Saturday morning and delegates from El Dorado County, including Charles MacLaughlin, a state officer, and Pomona Master Carl Visman, with the masters of the subordinate Granges in this district, returned to their homes over the week-end.

Mr. Visman has summarized the meeting for us in the following report:

The California State Grange concluded its convention in Modesto, last Saturday at 6 a. m. As Senator Garrison of Stanislaus County stated, the program of this Farmers' Convention is the best we have had for California.

Many important resolutions, one of which was for a re-adjusment of the gasoline tax in order to obtain more funds for our county roads, have been introduced and accepted by the State Grange. This resolution was introduced by the El Dorado County Pomona Grange. This measure should have the undivided support of all rural communities. The State Board of Supervisors is also very much in favor of this action.

The Grange voted against any prorate law to be enacted, feeling that after all, the small farmer is the back bone of our nation; and that by Uncle Sam putting too many restrictions on agriculture—either Federal or State—the rank and file of agricultural producers will get the worst of it, as is too often the case.

The organization also endorsed a resolution, insisting that the California Toll Bridge Authority take action to break the barrier of exhorbitant tolls at the Carquinez Bridge, and that the

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VICTIMS—A searching party climbing the steep slopes of the Uinta mountains in northeastern Utah found the 19 occupants dead in the wreckage of the United Air Lines transcontinental plane that crashed in a blizzard there. Above are three of the victims. Left to right, Veteran Pilot Earl Woodgerd; Mrs. Natalie Campbell Prichett, Washington Star columnist, and William H. Pitt of Hollis, L. I., newly appointed news editor for Pathe News, Inc.

JOHN ADOLPHUS FISHER, PIONEER OF '52, SUMMONED ON MONDAY EVENING

Placerville Resident Believed Oldest In Years Of Membership In Masonic Order In California; Past Master Of Hiram Lodge, Of El Dorado, He Was An Officer For 66 Years

John Adolphus Fisher, believed to be the oldest member of the Masonic order in California in point of years of membership, and an El Dorado County pioneer of 1852, passed away Monday evening at Placerville Sanitorium where he had been a patient for about ten days.

The funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Masonic temple at El Dorado, under the auspices of Hiram Lodge No. 43, F. & A. M., of which Mr. Fisher had been a member for sixty-seven years. Burial will be at El Dorado cemetery beside the grave of his late wife, Mrs. Mary Knisley Fisher, who passed away several years ago.

A member of Hiram lodge since 1870, Mr. Fisher had served twenty-three terms as Worshipful Master of the lodge and during his sixty-seven years of membership he had served for sixty-six years in some post as an officer of the lodge.

Tiler of the lodge at the time of his

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Veale, Veteran Officer, Dead

Former Contra Costa County Sheriff, Fails To Rally Following Operation

MARTINEZ, (UP)—Former sheriff R. R. Veale, 73, for 40 years one of the West's most colorful peace officers, died here last night after an operation for a gall bladder infection.

Veale first was elected sheriff of Contra Costa county in 1894 and he served continuously in that office until he was defeated for reelection three years ago.

During his years in office he was credited with the capture of many a desperado and it was his boast that he never was forced to kill a man.

Twice he arrested Thomas J. Mooney on charges of illegally possessing explosives before Mooney was convicted of the 1916 Preparedness Day bombings in San Francisco. On each occasion Mooney was acquitted.

He is survived by six children and his widow, Marion, who was his third wife.

PENSION LOAD DOUBLED

Liberalization Of Terms, Gain In Applicants Adds To Costs To State

SACRAMENTO, (UP) — Payments to California's old age pensioners have almost doubled during the last year because of the increase in number of persons receiving aid and liberalization of the pension laws by the 1937 legislature, Mrs. Florence L. Turner, director of social welfare, reported today.

Figures released by the director showed 85,349 persons received $2,847,118.90 in September, compared with payments of $1,520,670 to 52,328 pensioners in the same month a year ago. Applications of 16,766 others were under consideration. If approved, these would boost the costs by $576,750.40, Mrs. Turned said.

Los Angeles county led in distribution of old age assistance, with payments of 1,100,837.88 to 33,043 persons during September; San Francisco was second, paying $217,294 to 6,442 pensioners, and Alameda county third with payments totaling $167,623.90 to 5,203 persons.

The state average for payments during September was $33.40 per person, compared with $31.53 for August. Total costs of pensions is divided on the basis of $15 per person from the federal government and $10 each from the state and county.

Amateur Night To Be At Fair

$120 In Prizes Offered Under Legion Sponsorship; Butts In Charge Of Entries

A series of three amateur night programs will be presented during the county fair, at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr., Memorial Park, November 5, 6 and 7.

The program is being arranged, under the supervision of L. T. Butts, Jr.

On the first night of the fair, amateurs from Placerville will compete for $30 in cash awards. The second night, entries will come from the county outside of Placerville and cash awards of $30 will be offered.

On the final night of the fair, winners on the two previous nights will compete for $60 in cash awards. Mr. Butts reports that there is an enthusiastic interest in the contest and that a good program is in store. Parties who wish to enter the contest should contact Mr. Butts at the earliest possible date.

It is pointed out that in the competition this time, there will be separate prizes for group competition and separate prizes for individual competition. This is a change from the plan under which the amateur night programs were conducted previously.

LEGION SONS TO HAVE CONCESSION AT COUNTY FAIR

The Sons of the American Legion met Monday night in the Legion Hall and made plans to handle soda water, ice cream, etc., at the coming County Fair.

A committee was appointed to make plans for the small booth and to "dicker" with the local merchants.

Those on the committee are: Bruce Anderson, Charles Irish and Donald Young.

Also, during the meeting plans were made to have a game of touch-football between halves next Saturday at the football game between the Cougars and the team from Sacramento.

Next week, on Monday at 7 o'clock at the Legion Hall we are going to have a "Bean Feed." All Sons of the Legion are requested to attend. —Publicity chairman, Cliff Swesey, Jr.

MRS. M. G. BAALKE IN CHARGE OF POULTRY EXHIBIT

Mrs. M. G. Baalke, of Smith Flat, will have charge of the poultry show in connection with the El Dorado County Fair and the poultry display will be on Saturday, November 7, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. Baalke reports she has made contacts relative to pens for exhibiting the poultry and will be pleased to explain the arrangements to exhibitors who may prefer to rent pens rather than build pens for the exhibition.

Placerville Woman Weds Auburn Resident

According to a Reno report to The Chronicle, a license to wed was issued over the week-end at Reno to Chester B. Espell, 37, of Auburn and Martha Krein, 20, of Placerville.

Church Fellowship Dinner Wednesday

The regular church fellowship dinner at the Federated Church will be held at the church parlors on Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. In addition to the supper, prepared by the women of the church, there will be a program of entertainment.

Harry Cridge was in town from near Shingle on Monday. Harry has been at Lake Tahoe during the summer and we didn't learn whether his headquarters are at Lake Valley or at Shingle at this time.

47 Deaths Laid To Elixir

Sulfanilamide As Powder Saves Lives, Kills When Used As Compound Agent

CHICAGO, (UP) — New testimony of the life-saving qualities of sulfanilamide was given today as medical authorities charged 47 deaths to an attempt to employ the drug in a new form.

Lives were saved when sulfanilamide was used in its plain form—a white, srystalline powder.

Death resulted when the sulfanilamide was stirred into a glycol compound to form an elixir. Apparently diethylene glycol was the lethal factor.

The elixir death toll by states: Alabama 5, Georgia 5 (all suspected), Illinois, 7, Mississippi 14, Texas 4 (one suspected), Missouri 1, Oklahoma 9, Ohio 1, Tennessee 1.

Manufacturers of the elixir have recalled their 375 shipments. Agents of the food and drug administration and state and local officials are conducting a nationwide search to recover all the elixir still not accounted for.

Physicians warned against use of "unknown" drugs, and advised that sulfanilamide be administered only under expert supervision.

Grand-Daughter Of Benfeldts Passes

Mr. and Mrs. John Benfeldt were called to Santa Maria Sunday by receipt of word of the death of their grand-daughter, Pearl Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Pearson.

They were joined in the trip to Santa Maria by Mr. and Mrs. Menio Ferrari, aunt and uncle of the child, and by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baumhoff, of Centerville, Idaho, also aunt and uncle of the child.

Fred drove through from Idaho, a distance of 600 miles, to Placerville Sunday, in 11 hours, following receipt of word of the death of the child.

School Superintendent E. J. Fitzgerald leaves Fednesday morning for San Francisco to attend the annual convention of school superintndents. He hopes to return to his office on Saturday.

FORMER COUNTY RESIDENT TAKEN SUNDAY AT ROSEVILLE

Mrs. Rolan Dunkum was called to Roseville Sunday on receipt of word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Alice E. Conroy.

Mrs. Conroy was well known in El Dorado County., having been born at Penobscot. She grew to womanhood in the Cool district and had taught several terms in various schools in this and Placer County.

Upon her marriage to the late William F. Conroy, they moved to Roseville where she had since resided. She leaves to mourn her death two brothers, Arthur N. Terry, of Chico, and Raleigh W. Terry, of Roseville, and three sisters, Mrs. Rolan Dunkum, of Placerville; and Mrs. George H. Johnson and Mrs. Charles Bevington, of Roseville, and also four children, Raymond T., of Los Angeles; Robert W., of Hollywood; William F., of Roseville, and Mrs. Harry Kelso, also of Roseville.

News Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bonetti were in town Tuesday from the French Creek section.

George Swansborough, of the Mosquito section, is among those under care at Placerville Sanitorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Burger returned Sunday evening after spending the week-end at the Bay. Mrs. Burger visited relatives at Alameda while Leo saw the Bears beat the Trojans.

Sheriff George M. Smith took Caesar Robles to San Quentin prison Tuesday to begin serving an indeterminate term for assault. District Attorney Lyon accompanied the sheriff to the Bay district on business matters.

COUNTY FARM BUREAU MARKS 20TH ANNIVERSARY TONIGHT

State President R. W. Blackburn Coming To Placerville To Share In Observance As Organization Convenes At Superior Court Room With First President, J. A. Irving, In Charge

El Dorado County Farm Bureau celebrates its twentieth birthday tonight at a meeting in the Superior Court room at the courthouse.

In addition to a review of the organization period, and of the unit's accomplishment during the past twenty years, which will be given by some of those who helped found the Farm Bureau in this county, the meeting will have as a distinguished visitor and speaker R. W. Blackburn, president of the California Farm Bureau Federation.

The anniversary meeting will convene under the gavel of the first county Farm Bureau president, James A. Irving, who also is president during its twentieth year.

The committee in charge reports that Prof. B. A. Madsen, was among those active in instituting the county Farm Bureau, will be present, although Prof. C. W. Rubel, who also shared in the work, will not be here.

Among county residents who took part in the organization work and who have been asked to speak are August Ebbert, Mrs. Julia MacDonald, W. A. Caldwell, George Van Vleck, and J. H. Quigley, who was president of the Chamber of Commerce during the organization year.

STATE CONTROLLER LION SPEAKER

Harry B. Riley Foresees Probable Tax Reductions As Result Of Surplus

The almost certain probability of a $31,000,000 state surplus in 1939 with a possible consequent reduction in taxes was the hope held out to Placerville business men Tuesday noon by State Controller Harry B. Riley, guest speaker at the Lions club luncheon at Hotel Raffles.

Mr. Riley, accompanied by James Hickey, inheritance tax attorney, came to Placerville to pay his first visit to the community as state controller, and to speak before the Lions at the invitation of Don H. Goodrich.

Prior to becoming state controller, Mr. Riley served several terms in the Legislature representing the Long Beach district, and prior to that was commissioner of finance for the city of Long Beach.

Mr. Riley sketched the state's recent revenue history beginning with June of 1931 when there was a $30,000,000 surplus in the state treasury. Two years later, he reported, the state had a deficit of $13,000,000 and in 1935 this had increased to $20,000,000.

On June 30, 1937, the deficit had been reduced to $19,000,000 and it is now estimated that the state will be able to cease registering warrants next June and will be able to call all outstanding warrants in August of next year.

If state incomes continue as at present, Mr. Riley said, it is estimated that on June 30, 1939, the state will have a $31,000,000 surplus.

"I want to tell you, too, that operating on an unbalanced budget has been expensive for the State of California," he declared, revealing that "during this depression we have paid out $3,500,000 in interest alone."

50,000 EMPLOYERS TO BE REGISTERED UNDER JOB INSURANCE

SACRAMENTO — Gigantic task of registering 50,000 California employers who hire from four to seven persons inclusive, was started Monday by the Unemployment Reserves Commission.

This announcement was made by Samuel Leask, Jr., Commission member from Santa Cruz, who represents small employers.

Leask said more than a ton of mail, containing registration forms, would be sent to the post office from the Department of Employment offices here.

Seat Sale Opens For H. S. Senior Play

Tickets for the high school play, "New Fires," to be given at the school on Wednesday evening, November 10, at 8 o'clock, are now on sale. They may be obtained at Fox Brothers or from any member of the senior class. These latter tickets must be exchanged for reserve seat tickets at Fox Borthers.

The E. C. H. S. Orchestra under the direction of Charles W. Ball is preparing some special numbers for a concert to be given before the play, and will provide music between the acts.

California Grove To Hold Initiation

California Grove No. 1, U. A. O. D., will hold a class initiation at its regular meeting tonight. We understand there are seven candidates for membership. The meeting of the lodge will be followed by refreshments and a social time.

Assistant Forester A. N. Weber was in the Caldor district Tuesday.

Georgetown To Get Fair Plan

Secretary-Manager Will Confer On Friday With North Side Residents

The questions of residents of Georgetown and vicinity concerning the El Dorado County Fair, to be held November 5, 6 and 7 at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr., Memorial Park, will be answered by Dr. L. J. Anderson, secretary-manager, on Friday.

Mr. Anderson, with Miss Patricia McCann, secretary, will be in Georgetown Friday of this week from ten o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, with headquarters at the Francis building.

Dr. Anderson announced these hours for conferences in Georgetown after C. S. Collins, of Georgetown, a member of the fair directorate, reported concerning the plans for entries in various exhibit classifications from the Georgetown district.

"Miss McCann will be with me and we will move the county fair office to Georgetown during the hours indicated," Dr. Anderson said. "If there are any persons planning exhibits who are puzzled concerning how to proceed, or if there are other problems connected with the fair, we will be happy to confer with all parties interested and give them whatever assistance is within our power."

ONLY 9 MAJOR GRIDIRON TEAMS CAN BOAST PERFECT RECORD

NEW YORK—Only nine major football teams had perfect records today at the season's half way mark.

The undefeated and untied were reduced by four when Louisiana State, Northwestern, Wisconsin and Syracuse lost Saturday. California, Alabama, Vanderbilt, Baylor, Yale, Dartmouth, Holy Cross, Detroit and Santa Clara marched on undefeated and untied.

Airplane Crash Sequel In Damage Suit

A suit on file Tuesday in Superior Court is brought by John H. Horn against John Kluckman, claiming damages of $825.13 to the plaintiff's airplane arising through alleged carelessness of the defendant, to whom the ship had been loaned.

Complaint, prepared by Attorneys Lyon & Roberts, states the ship was loaned to Kluckman in November of 1936 and that he subsequently crashed it with damage in the above amount.

As a result of the crash, plaintiff was deprived of the use of the ship for five months, he claims, asking damages in the amount of $500 on this cause.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Taylor are up from Oakland to spend a few days at their property at El Dorado.

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THE OPEN SEASON





5 to 6 p. m.

KFBK—John Teel; 5:15 Land of Whatsit; 5:30 Cocktail Tunes; 5:45 Mirth Parade.

KROY—Dance; 5:15 News; 5:30 Sign Off.

KSFO — Announced; 5:30 Melodic String; 5:45 Life Stories.

KPO—S. F. Government; 5:15 Behind Footlights; 5:30 Walter Kelsey.

KGO—Eddie Duchin, 5:30 Skolsky; 5:45 Agriculture.

6 to 7 p. m.

KFBK—Herbert Hoover, 6:30 Rhythm and Romance; 6:45 Ensemble.

KSFO—Rube Appleberry; 6:15 Announced; 6:30 Jack Oakie.

KPO—News; 6:15 Trio; 6:30 Mardi Gras.

KGO—Herbert Hoover; 6:30 Canadian Club; 6:45 Talk.

7 to 8 p. m.

KFBK—Ricardo; 7:15 Symphonette, 7:30 Speed Gibson, 7:45 Announced.

KSFO—Calling All Cars.

KPO—7:30 Jimmy Fidler; 7:45 Edna Fischer.

KGO—Dance; 7:15 Joan Edwards; 7:30 Eddie Rogers.

8 to 9 p. m.

KFBK—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15 Lum 'n Abner; 8:30 Doctors Who Dared; 8:45 Eddie Varzos.

KSFO—Scattergood Baines; 8:15 Jay Freeman; 8:30 Al Jolson.

KPO—See KFBK; 8:15 Varieties; 8:30 Russ Morgan.

KGO—Vagabonds; 8:15 Lum 'n' Abner; 8:30 Darrell Donell; 8:45 Announced.

9 to 10 p. m.

KFBK—Musical Moments; 9:15 Joe Reichman; 9:30 Jack Winston; 9:45 Air Express.

KSFO—Watch the Fun; 9:30 Ted Flo Rito.

KPO—Death Valley Days; 9:30 Good Morning, Tonight.

KGO—Mart Kenny; 9:30 Murder Will Out.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFBK—Dedicated to You; 10:15 On With Dance; 10:30 Jimmy Grier.

KSFO—News; 10:15 Idylls, 10:45; Clyde McCoy.

KPO—News; 10:15 Glen Hurlburt; 10:30 Jack Winston.

KGO—Frank Castle; 10:30 Jimmy Grier.

11 to 12 Midnight

KFBK — News; 11:15 Chuch Fody; 11:45 Reveries.

KSFO—Tommy Tucker; 11:30 Red Norvo.

KPO—Rudy Vallee; 11:30 Announced.

KGO—Paul Carson.

TREE BLOOMS

PAINESVILLE, O., (UP) — Henry Quayle found two blossoms on his old cherry tree this fall. Earlier this year the same tree had produced three and one half bushels of cherries.

2,000 EMPLOYERS FAIL TO MAKE REPORTS ON JOB INSURANCE

SACRAMENTO, — Survey today by the Department of Employment revealed that some 2,300 California employers hiring eight or more persons have failed to register for Unemployment Reserves contributions with the State Department of Employment.

This announcement was made by Carl L. Hyde, executive-director, who said the non-registrants when finally investigated must pay contributions and delinquencies of 12 per cent per annum for both 1936 and 1937.

Contributions to the fund for 1936 were 90-100 of one per cent of the total payroll of the employer, and 45-100 of one per cent of the employe's paycheck. For 1937, the amount is doubled.

Oregon Lumberman Dies Of Stab Wounds

SAN DIEGO, (UP)—Frank Stebinger, 55, prominent Portland, Ore., lumberman, died in a hospital here from self-inflicted stab wounds, the coroner's office reported.

Stebinger, vice-president of the Hinmann-Paulsen Lumber Co., of Portland, stabbed himself with a pair of scissors Tuesday, in a bungalow court, where he was staying with his wife and daughter.

The family came to San Diego two weeks ago because of Stebinger's ill health, it was said.

Republican Classified Ads Always Pay

This & That

By The Tattletale

How many heard the California-U.S.C. announcer say Saturday that there were more people attending the game that afternoon than there were in the entire state fifty years ago? While we wouldn't go so far as to call the nice man a prevaricator, we would like to challenge that particular statement. There were between seventy-five and eighty thousand in the Berkeley stadium Saturday and in California in 1880 we find there were over 560,000; in 1890 this had increased to 1,213,398. Coloma, as early as 1852 had around 40,000 and Los Angeles in 1890, had 50,000 persons (this was before they started a Chamber of Commerce). Well this proves something or other — we don't exactly know what.

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We have just learned the whereabouts of the petitions to keep the Placerville-Tahoe road open which we mentioned in this column some time ago—they were found to be quite useless and tossed in the wastebasket because petitions don't mean much to the state highway department. The Placerville-Tahoe road is a secondary road — hence there are no funds to keep such a road open. However, the department does guarantee to keep the road open as far as Kyburz which is SOMETHING as far as snow sports are concerned. And by the way, 'tis almost time to get the skiis out and wax them up, isn't it?

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Last night we listened to a late news broadcast and it left us with this question—will this month of 1937 go down in history as "Bloody October" or will mankind find a way? Has there ever been such a time when the world was so tense, so full of hatred? Has there ever been such a race for armaments or such striving power? Has ever the dream of democracy been at such depths—or the message of the carpenter of Nazareth held in such scorn and contempt? The reason?—we wish we could tell you. The cause? Who DOES know?

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An interesting development in California this past summer (and one little publicized as yet) concerns the establishment of several "Youth Hostels" in the Coast Range mountains. Only a few have been set up as yet but more are expected as adventurous souls get into their "heavy-soled shoes, shorts, a small knapsack—maybe a feather in a battered cap" and take to the hills. Youth hostels had their beginnings in Europe not so many years ago—they are small hostels run at cost and are situated along definitely marked trails. In America these hostels are under the supervision of American Youth Hostels, Inc., and are supported by the Sierra Club and interested individuals. For twenty-five cents a hiker or cyclist can obtain a good bunk and bedding; he can also buy food at a nominal cost which he cooks himself.

Membership in American Youth Hostels is open to anyone regardless of age—annual fees are one dollar for those under twenty-five, two dollars for those over twenty-five. Membership privileges include the right to journey not only in the American and Canadian loops but in practically every European one as well. We look forward to see such institutions established in the Sierra Nevadas before long.

The co-operative winery in Napa Co. will crush 5000 tons of grapes at St. Helent and 3000 tons at Calistoga.

522 Licenses Suspended, 143 Revoked In Month

SACRAMENTO — Following up on rigid regulation of drivers' licenses as an adjunct to the constantly increasing campaign for greater safety on the highways, the state Department of Motor Vehicles suspended 522 licenses and ordered 143 revocations during September.

The figures were announced today in a report submitted by Director Ray Ingels at a meeting of department heads in a monthly council session with Governor Merriam.

CATTLE RUSTLERS HIDE BEHIND FORGED BILLS OF SALE

OTTAWA, Ont., (UP)—The Canadian government has extended its feeder cattle-freight scheme to embrace sheep and cattle outside the drouth-stricken areas of the Prairie Provinces.

The policy, under which the government pays half the cost of moving cattle purchased in arid areas to British Columbia or Eastern Canada, is designed to aid western ranchers to dispose of their cattle. It originally applied to deed cattle pudchased in the drouth areas only.

Murder Trial "Heard" By Correspondence

PITTSBURGH, (UP)—A murder trial by correspondence, with the defendant in Italy and the plaintiffs in Pittsburgh, was held in an 11-year-old case against James Farrone.

Farrone was arrested in Italy on request of United States authorities, who say he is suspected of killing Joseph Abrilo here in 1926. By agreement, Italians accused of murder in the United States are tried at "home" if they are apprehended in Italy.

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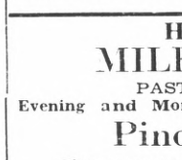
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By Harry F. O'Niell

TRAVELING MENTAL CLINICS URGED BY SUPERINTENDENT OF STATE HOSPITAL

JACKSON, Miss., (UP)—Treatment of persons with mental disorders before their conditions become serious enough for confinement in insane hospitals is advocated by Dr. C. D. Mitchell, veteran Mississippi alienist.

Use of traveling clinics for periodical examination of persons showing traces of mental disorders would cut down the number of persons requiring treatment in institutions, believes Dr. Mitchell, superintendent of the new $5,000,000 Mississippi State Insane Hospital, one of the finest of its kind in the country.

Dr. Mitchell pointed out that "sometimes we find mental troubles are caused by physical ailments, such as diseased teeth or maybe a bad tonsil, or any other organic trouble creating a toxic condition.

By removing the cause of these physical illnesses, he said, mental disorders could be avoided in many cases.

SEPTEMBER GASOLINE TAX EXCEEDS $4,000,000

SACRAMENTO—Gasoline sales continued to increase throughout California during September, with the state tax amounting to $4,523,409.84, the Board of Equalization reported.

The tax, assessed against the distribution of 150,880,327 gallons of gasoline, represented a gain of 6.99 per cent over the same month of the previous year and was approximately the same as the total reported for August.

September sales marked the sixth consecutive month this year in which gains were recorded over the same months of the previous year. Gasoline tax assessments now amount to more than $38,000,000 for the calendar year.

FIRM IN FAMILY

CLEVELAND (UP)—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Guthrie studied law together, took their bar examinations together, were admitted to the bar together, and are engaged in practice—as Guthrie & Guthrie.

Four hundred tons of almonds were sold in Chico, Butte County, late in September for $135,000.

BACK HOME AGAIN — By Ed Dodd



SOCIAL HYGIENE WINS FAVOR AS COURSE IN SCHOOL

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., (UP)—Illinois educators will weigh the advisability of introducing courses on sex and social hygiene into the public schools of the state in a conference at the University of Illinois.

The state health department announced the meeting would be held on Nov. 6 in conjunction with an annual statewide conference of teachers at the university.

"It is believed that education along biological and social lines with respect to sex is fundamental to the integrity and improvement of family life as well as to successful program of controlling venereal diseases," Frank J. Jirka, state health director, said.

"The relatively high rate of divorces, the fact that more than 2,000 illigitimate births are recorded annually in Illinois and the accumulated total of 18,727 cases of syphilis reported to date this year are evidence that something in the way of education in social hygiene might be attempted advantageously," he said.

Dr. Ernest R. Graves, professor of sociology at the University of North Carolina, will address the conference on "Education for Social Living."

Boy And Dog Share Same Bed In Calamity

CLEVELAND, (UP)—Eleven-year-old Leo Deis and his pet dog, Frisky, are "on the mend" in the same bed.

The boy underwent an appendectomy the first day of school. On his return home, Frisky was struck by a speeding automobile as he hurried to answer his master's whistle.

"Frisky spends most of the time on Leo's bed," Leo's mother says. "They keep each other company.

Anchorage Trading Company, Orland, Glenn County, has bought over 1000 tons of almonds including the Chico pool.

Recorder's Filings

October 22, 1937

Purchasing contract and agreement, The Eimco Corporation to Edward S. Miller.

Grant deed, S. M. Speers and Viola H. Speers, husband and wife, to Wardie Campbell.

Order and decree of settlement of account and final distribution, in the matter of the estate of Susan Jackson, deceased, to Bryte Jackson, as administrator of the estate of Andrew Jackson, deceased.

Order and decree of settlement of account and final distribution, in the matter of the estate of Andrew Jackson, deceased, to Bryte Jackson and Julia Hunter.

Deed, E. A. Thole, widower to Guy J. Chadwick and Kathryn A. Chadwick, his wife.

Trust deed, Guy J. Chadwick and Kathryn A. Chadwick, his wife to Annie Jaeger and Charles Thole, parties of the second part, and E. A. Thole, parties of the third part.

Partial reconveyance, Corporation of America, a corporation, to person or persons legally entitled thereto.

Right of way deed, Loren D. Forni and Mary O. Forni, his wife, to state of California.

Grant deed, John E. Dunlap and Emma Dunlap, his wife to John Meyn and Irene Meyn, husband and wife, as joint tenants with the right of survivorship.

October 25, 1937

Decree of distribution, estate of Geo. T. Ruddock, deceased, to Estelle R. Davis and Ruth deFremery.

Right of way, Alice M. Blair, et al, to P. G. E.

Right of way, Anton F. Meyer and Cora Meyer, husband and wife, to P. G. & E. Co.

Right of way, Adolph A. Martin, Paul J. Martin and Mary E. Stanley, to P. G. E. C.

Deed, Charles Ezra Green and Mae T. Green, husband and wife, to Herbert Cecil Green.

Deed, Henry E. Reedy and Elizabeth N. Reedy, husband and wife, to W. A. Hall.

Deed, W. A. Hall and Edna M. Hall to Nicholas Pereshin, a widower.

The cannery at Lincoln packed 300,000 cases of peaches this year.

3 DIMENSIONAL WEATHER MAPS TO GUIDE PILOTS ACROSS ATLANTIC

LONDON, (UP) — A three-dimension map, probably in the form of a cube, like a child's building block, is one of the minor problems technicians must solve before regular trans-Atlantic flights may be performed smoothly.

Experimental survey flights by Impeial Airways and Pan-American Airways during the past summer demonstrated the paramount importance of accurate weather reports and forecasts to the pilots of the oversea aircraft. The value of radio, of course is beyond computation in transmitting weather information after the flight has begun.

But since the overwater crossing now takes only about half a day, the pilots lean heavily on the weather maps that are handed them at the takeoff. And these maps, as present, must express on a flat chart of Mercator's Projection weather tendencies in three dimensions. The commander must imagine he is looking at a cross-section of the air and interpret the symbols on the chart accordingly.

Experts are working on a plan whereby in future pilots will be given a large cube on which all weather data is described. Thus altitude will be shown as well as latitlde and longitude when movements of air currents and temperatures are shown.

270 TRAFFIC ARRESTS MADE IN MONTH ON BAY BRIDGE

SACRAMENTO,—With 8,283,231 vehicles having crossed the San Francisco-Oakland bay bridge in the 10 months since the span was opened, the number of accidents stands at 100, involving 114 injuries and eight deaths.

Tabulations compiled by Chief E. Raymond Cato of the California Highway Patrol show that in September, when 705,704 vehicles crossed the bridge, there were five accidents in which one person was killed and 12 injured.

In its constant campaign to eliminate accidents the highway patrol bridge detail during September made 270 arrests which included 114 for speeding, 31 for reckless driving and 31 for driving while intoxicated. Fines for these arrests totalled $6,393.50.

$30,000 in PRIZES

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NOVEMBER 5th — Placerville Day
9 a. m. Fair opens, judging commences.
10 to 12 a. m. Placerville Food Show.
2 p. m. Baby Show, $25.00 Prizes.
3 p. m. Concert by Troubadors and high school band.
4 to 5 p. m. Carnival on the Midway.
7 p. m. Band Concert.
8 p. m. Legion Amateur Hour, $30 in Prizes. Entries from Placerville.
10 p. m. Main Tent Closes.

NOVEMBER 6th — El Dorado County Day
9 a. m. Fair opens, judging continues.
10 to 11 a. m. County Food Show; Cattle, Sheep and Swine Show.
11 a. m. Old-Time Fiddlers.
2 p. m. Football, ECHS vs. Sonora.
3 p. m. Old-Time Fiddlers Contest, $25 Prizes.
4 to 5 p. m. Carnival on the Midway.
7 p. m. Concert.
8 p. m. Legion Amateur Hour. County entries, $30 in Prizes.

NOVEMBER 7th — American Legion Day
9 a. m. Fair opens, general judging continues.
10 a. m. Judging horses.
11 a. m. Concert by Troubadors
1 p. m. Exhibition by Drum & Bugle Corps and bands.
2 p. m. Horse show—stunts.
3 p. m. Band Concert.
4 to 5 p. m. Carnival on the Midway.
7 p. m. Concert by Troubadors.
8 p. m. Grand Final for Amateur hours, $60 in Prizes.
10 p. m. Fair Closes—Carnival Attractions.

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Blacksmith, 83, Thinks He May Marry

KINGSTON, Ont. (UP)—James Slack, 83, believed to be the oldest blacksmith in Canada, is thinking of getting married and settling down in about four years.

Slack has been working as a blacksmith for 71 years at Merivale, near Ottawa. He came here as a delegate to the Master Horseshoers and Carnegie Workers' Association.

He told the association that the reason he kept on working was because he "would rather wear out than rust out."

"But," he added, "I give myself four more years, and then I think I will marry and settle down."

Bickle Brothers, Yolo County, averager thirteen sacks of Sudan grass seed to the acre this summer.

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LOST

LOST—Elk tooth watch charm, owner will give Reward. Return to this office. 26o3t*

John A. Fisher Succumbs

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death and for several years before, Mr. Fisher served his last term as Master of the Lodge during 1929, when Hiram Lodge observed its seventy-fifth anniversary.

He had been a member of St. James Chapter No. 16, R. A. M., since August 18, 1886, and became a Sir Knight of El Dorado Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, on January 3, 1888.

Born at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, August 22, 1849, Mr. Fisher came to California as a child with his parents. The family settled in the Missouri Flat district on what became in later years to be generally known as the Spencer place.

The elder Mr. Fisher conducted a general store and also engaged in mining and farming. John Fisher attended school at Missouri Flat and at Cold Springs and later was engaged in mining and farming.

His active life also found him at various times in the mercantile business at Shingle Springs, at El Dorado and in Placerville.

For many years he had retired from business, although he had continued to keep active until advancing age recently limited his capacity for work.

Although Mr. Fisher resided in Placerville, he retained his membership in the Masonic Lodge at El Dorado and as a matter of regular habit, until as recently as three or four years ago, he walked from Placerville to the Masonic temple at El Dorado to attend lodge meetings, and walked home again.

Mr. Fisher was among the first to establish a summer home on Eldorado Forest Forest in the district near Phillips Station and his special use permits date from August 1, 1914. In later years the home was transferred to Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Ranta.

Mr. Fisher is survived by one sister, Mrs. Mary McDonald, of Sacramento, and by three nephews, O. A. McDonald and Charles V. McDonald, of El Dorado, and Frank B. McDonald, of Shingle Springs.

The body is in the care of the M. O'Keefe Mortuary Chapel.

LARGEST TELESCOPE DOME TO BE COMPLETED BY CHRISTMAS EVE

United Press Staff Correspondent

MT. PALOMAR, (UP)—The huge revolving dome which will house the world's largest telescope, in the $6,000,000 California Institution of Technology observatory atop this 6,000-foot bountain, will b e completed by Chirstmas eve, engineers said today.

Over the $1,000,000 "highway to the stars," huge trucks roar daily up the grades carrying tons of steel plates which will form the 135-foot dome.

These plates, weighing one ton each, are 7 feet in width and 21 feet in length. In all, a total of 850 plates, or 850 tons of steel, will be represented in the completed dome.

Already the base structure of the observatory has been completed, and the circular track on which the dome will revolve is in place, after having been ground to mirror-smoothness by engineers who labored throughout last winter unmindful of rain, sleet and snow.

The Hopkins ranch range land in Lake County, was the first to be burned over under the new controlled burning plan of the State Board of Forestry.

CARD PARTY

Whist Party, Tuesday, October 26, Shakespeare Clubhouse 8 p. m. Score cards, prizes, refreshments 35c. 21O3tc



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PEACE PARLEY—American delegate to the forthcoming Nine-Power peace conference in Brussels, Belgium, is Norman H. Davis, Ambassador-at-Large and former New York banker, in center of above picture. With him, shown in Washington, are members of the State Department who will be his advisers. Left to right: Dr. Stanley K. Hornbeck, Charles E. Bohlen, Robert T. Pell and Pierrepont Moffat. The conference opens Oct. 30.

TUBERCULOSIS DEATHS IN NATION SHOW GAIN IN '36

NEW YORK, (UP)—Just as the postwar days of 1918 precipitated a decided increase in tuberculosis mortality in the United States, so has the recent years of economic depression brought about a climbing rate of deaths from the same malady in this country, in the opinion of Dr. Kendall Emerson, managing director of the National Tuberculosis Association.

After a careful survey of figures gleaned from the records of the state boards of health just submitted to the National Tuberculosis Association, Dr. Emerson found that 24 states and the District of Columbia showed a higher death rate for last year than in 1935. The lowest mark was 0.2 per cent in New Jersey. Oklahoma topped the field with 22.7. Since the increase had been expected, according to Dr. Emerson, a great deal of emphasis has been placed on a health program to halt this spreading disease. The death rate from tuberculosis was approximately only 4 per cent during the years 1925-1935.

According to state statistics, the total tuberculosis death rate for the United States rose from 54.5 per cent in 1935 to 55.4 in 1936. A total of 69,471 persons, for the most part between the ages of 15 and 45, died of tuberculosis in 1935 in the United States, while the total rose to 70,907 in 1936. With the exception of New Hampshire, all other sections of the country showed increased death rates.

PIN RETURNED

HOLDENVILLE, Okla., (UP) — Eight years ago Mrs. Leon Davis of Holdenville, then Miss Geneva Jo Heathman lost a sorority pin at a McAlester, Oklahoma football game. The other day the pin was returned.

Alex McDonald of the University Farm staff, Davis, will judge Angus cattle at the International in Chicago.

Bounty On Starfish To Protect Oysters

OTTAWA, (UP)—Public pest No. 1 in Prince Edward Island's oyster farms is the starfish, and the Dominion department of fisheries will this year pay a bounty of twenty-five cents a gallon for their destruction.

The P. E. I. oyster farms, which have been growing rapidly in recent years, report substantial losses due to the depredations of the starfish.

DIESEL TAX RETURN FOR QUARTER EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS

SACRAMENTO — Income from the new Use Fuel Tax totaled $60,592.09 during the first three months the levy was effective, an amount far in excess of that anticipated, the State Board of Equalization reported today.

The act, passed by the last legislature, became effective July 1. It provided a three-cent per gallon tax on diesel oil and other fuels used by motor vehicles and not covered by the gasoline tax act.

At the time the act was being considered by the legislature, it was predicted that the levy would net the state approximately $100,000 a year. At the current rate of income, the tax will probably be in excess of $250,000 a year, officials said.

LOAN ASSETS RISE

ST. PAUL (UP)—Assets of eleven Federal Savings and Loan Associations in the Twin Cities have increased more than $6,000,000 in the past year, according to John Scott, president of the Minnesota group.

The dam to be built near Kennett as a part of the Central Valley project, has been named Shasta Dam.

California Lands, Inc., is building a prune dehydrator on its Aloha ranch near Anderson, Shasta County.

FATTEST MAN WEIGHS 686; WIFE, SEEKING TITLE, CHECKED AT 364

LONDON, (UP)—The world's fattest man, Barney Worth, 21, and his 23-year-old wife, Joy, who is striving for the title of the world's fattest woman, have arrived in London on their honeymoon.

Barney, who was born in Cookstown, Queensland, weighs 686 pounds, is 5 feet 9 inches tall and 6 feet 3 inches around the middle. His bride at the moment weighs 364 pounds. She used to weigh 524 when she was in a circus as the "Fattest Girl in the World," and before she went on a slimming diet. Now that she wants to team with her husband she is putting on 9 pounds a week in an effort to regain her former weight.

Worth's size makes it a little difficult for him to get through doors and into buses. When he sailed for Capetown to England, he had to be taken aboard the ship by a crane, and from Folkestone to London he had to ride in the baggage car.

LONDON TOO LONELY

LONDON, (UP) — Because he found London, with its 8,000,000 population, lonelier than his sheep station in Victoria, Stephen Ssaughton, 29, had a nervout breakdown. This was the story told at the inquest when he fell from a window of a London nursing home and suffered fatal injuries.

Frank Toombs is a patient at Placerville Sanitorium.

STATE GRANGE MEETING AT MODESTO FAVORS GAS TAX CHANGE

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State Grange be authorized to sponsor an initiative measure to have it submitted directly to the people.

Several resolutions were approved to protect the American market for the American farmer. It was in all, a very successful convention. By a unanimous vote, Charles MacLaughlin was re-instated as a state officer. The new state officers were installed at 6:30 Saturday morning.

CHILD PRODIGY FLUENT TALKER AT AGE OF 3 YEARS

KENMORE, N. Y., (UP)—Three-year-old Harry W. Rettke, Jr., of Kenmore may be a child prodigy but "he's not going to be spoiled."

The child's mother, Mrs. Harry Rettke, explained that Harry, Jr., is as large, as tall and as mentally developed as the average child of 6.

"He began speaking at six months and hasn't stopped yet," said the proud mother. "He knew 393 words at 18 months and 16 of them were German—I counted them."

Mrs. Rettke and her husband, a proprietor of a restaurant, began to take notice of their stocky son's rapid development when a doctor advised them his 20 teeth at 14 months was "unusual."

Since then, the mother said, she and her husband have been noting their son's various achievements in a large blue book. They give him monthly intelligence tests.

But Mrs. Rettke is determined that her blue-eyed, tousle-headed son is not going to be spoiled. He is sent outdoors for plenty of fresh air and sunshine every day, dries dishes and runs errands "without notes."

NOTICE TO PEAR GROWERS AND SHIPPERS

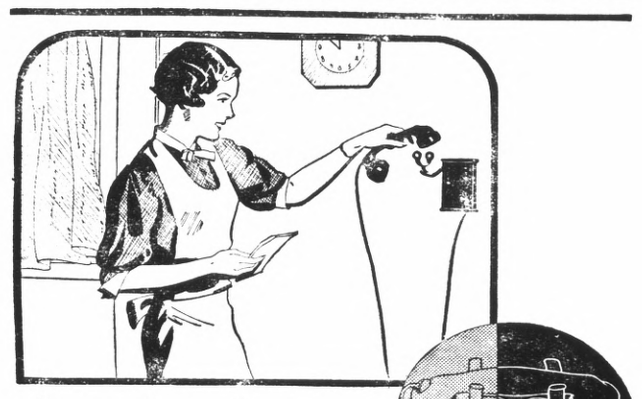
All pear growers, handlers and shippers who desire to participate in the Federal division program for Fall and Winter pears, under which benefit payments of fifty cents (50c) per box will be paid on all such pears exported or diverted pursuant to the Agreement between the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States and the Oregon - Washington - California Pear League, Inc., should communicate immediately with Mr. H. B. Murphy, Placerville Fruit Growers Association, Placerville, California, who represents the Pear League in the Placerville district and-or Walter G. Brown, c-o Santa Clara Pear Growers Association, Santa Clara, California, who represents the other districts of the State of California.

All growers and handlers of Fall and Winter pears may participate in this program by signing the Pear League's uniform Handlers Agreement, copies of which may be obtained from Mr. Murphy or Mr. Brown.

OREGON-WASHINGTON-CALIFORNIA PEAR LEAGUE, INC.
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VOYAGERS TO AMERICA—Among 6,000 passengers arriving in New York in one day aboard four transatlantic liners, were these interesting persons: Top, left, Colette d'Arville, noted French singer; right, Anne Morgan, women's leader and philanthropist, with her pet. Bottom, left, Claire Luce, musical comedy star, and, right, Annabella, French movie actress.



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